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LUKE 1:26-33

Now in the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent from God to a city in Galilee, called Nazareth, to a virgin engaged to a man whose name was Joseph, of the descendants of David; and the virgin's name was Mary. And coming in, he said to her, "Hail, favored one! The Lord [is] with you." But she was greatly troubled at [this] statement, and kept pondering what kind of salutation this might be. And the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary; for you have found favor with God. "And behold, you will conceive in your womb, and bear a son, and you shall name Him Jesus. "He will be great, and will be called the Son of the Most High; and the Lord God will give Him the throne of His father David; and He will reign over the house of Jacob forever; and His kingdom will have no end."

(NASB)

Christmas Greetings from Texas

It's happened again! Another year has sped past and frankly none of us here have any idea where it went.

As you can see from the title, we are still entrenched in Texas. This condition doesn't seem to be about to change soon so you'll all have to come visit.

This newsletter will have some terribly exciting information for you (or is that terrible information!). Anyway, our hope as always is

that this newsletter finds you filled with the Joy of the Season.

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tinue to rest in the knowledge that our Lord Jesus has been with us through it all. And unlike what we find in

the world in general, He has been faithful.

We hope you enjoy this newsletter and if not, it still makes a pretty good liner for your birdcage or tinder for your fireplace. And best of all it was free!

John has another New Job!

It seems that John can't stay in one place more than a few months at a time. Last year we found him working for Expert Business Systems assigned at Frito-Lay. Well, EBS assigned him in late January to Microsoft as manager of a Bilingual Engineering group for their Latin American customers. That was quite an interesting job and also an opportunity to use all those years of Spanish. During the assignment, he found out that Frito was hiring permanent employees and promptly applied. In July, John went to work for Frito-Lay as a full time regular

employee. Frito is a great company to work for so the decision was really easy. So, let's eat up those chips out there!

The job is as team leader for the Master Console Operators group. Since Frito is actually owned by Pepsi-Cola, this will involve their operators as well. Below is a picture of his new employer hard at work making and selling chips!

John hopes this is his last job move.



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Gerri also has New Job!

After a couple of years working for Voluntary Nurses of America, Gerri took a part time job working for Family Hospice of Denton County.

The job at VNA was becoming more home health care and Gerri feels that her calling is with Hospice nursing. This "part-time" job is actually on a per call basis and for the last two months, she's only had a few days with no work. She puts between 1500- 2000 miles a month on her car and it seems to always need tires, etc.

With the upcoming wedding (see article to the right →), Gerri has had her hands full. Fortunately, one of the ladies at our church is a wedding coordinator, and this has been a big help. It has even saved us some money (at least that's what all the women keep telling John).



Danielle to Wed!

Danielle dropped a bombshell of an announcement on her mom and dad in early September. She came home from college one day and stated that we needed to have a family council. We thought, since her car had been acting up, that she was going to try to con us into a new car. But instead, three days later, David Martin was in our living room asking for her hand (I think he wants the rest as well!).

We've been praying for our children's spouses since they were little and believe that David is God's answer. He is one of the piano/key-board players in our church's praise band and has served 4 years in the Marines. Currently, he is a junior at the University of North Texas and is seeking a commission in the Air Force.

They will be married on March 14, 1998 (Danielle's 21st birthday) here in Highland Village.



David will Graduate!

It appears that the class of 1998 will include David Nipe. This is no mean feat and we're real proud of how hard he has worked this year to keep his grades up. In fact, his first report card this year was one of the best ever! No one is sure what David will be doing next year at this point, but he would like to try a local junior college. His dad keeps showing him enlistment brochures, but so far that has fallen on deaf ears.

After almost two years making pizzas for Pizza Hut, he now works for The Cotton Patch (a small restaurant chain) as one of the hosts. He trying to become a waiter (they make more money!).

He has taken over his father's Ford Ranger pickup and we think he has put as many miles on it in 6 months as his father did in 4 1/2 years! More dents too!

No serious girl friends yet, but plenty of them seem to call. David's phone is (972)317-2061 if you want to call him for any reason (like an offer of a full time job!). By the way graduation is May 23, 1998 ,so he'll be available after that!.

